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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final rejection of claims 16-19, 30, and 31 in the Office Action dated October 7, 2005, kindly consider the following Amendments to the Claims and the Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this report. Claims 16, 18, 30 and 31 were amended.

Remarks begin on Page 7 of this response.